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LIBRARY VISITORS IMPORTUNED TO BUY

CRITICISMS AGAINST WATCHMEN.

Unsuspecting Tourists Find Uniform. ed Guardians Urging Souvenirs at Every Opportunity-Philadelphian's Experience.

Numerous complaints have been made of late by visitors to the Congressional those who were approached to invest a Library of some of the watchmen who are gaid to be very importunate regarding the purchase of souvenirs, which they carry around in their pockets and offer at every opportunity to those who enquire of them for information regarding matters pertaining to the Library.

It was noticed by a reporter for The Times who made a personal investigation of the complaint that these watchmen are just as accomplished in the manner of 'spotting" customers as their less fortunate brothers, the street hawkers of ed at the Emergency Hospital in this souvenirs or Christmas toys. They are city, was removed to his home in Virvery persistent in their efforts to dispose ginia this morning. of that "nice little souvenir" for "only About 6 o'clock the wounded man, ac the latter's visit to the Library a burden stretcher and carried to the ambulance, in

watchmen who are doing duty during the landing, near Oak Grove, where he will be evening hours at the Rotunda gallery. met by members of his family, and car-Their way of discovering a customer is ried to his home. truly indicative of the proverbial faker | The physicians at the Emergency Hosand huckster, and shows that they have pital state that the trip will not, in all studied their parts well. This is the way probability, prove fatal to young Stiff, but | Tr

they "catch" their man. Minerva a Drawing Card.

At the head of the stairs leading to the Library gallery, is the large and beautiful picture of Minerva, the goddess of wisdom, a rare specimen of mosaic work, and the pride of the Library. This piece of art is especially pointed out in the catalogues and illustrated views of Washington, and it is well worth a trip to the Library for a view of this picture alone. The guides point it out to their charges and all day long there may be found in front of this piece of art groups of admir-

The watchmen are well aware of this drawing card, and take due advantage thereof. Two or three of them usually take position at the door leading to the gallery whence they can see the visitors and pick out their prey. They follow the stranger at a safe distance at first, but gradually come nearer. Finally the guide fied by the Presbytery and accepted by to Duncan Campbell part of lot 20 of Reno eatches up with them which "happens" to the pastor. be at a place where the visitor's attention is attracted to some statue or some other object of curiosity.

The Amiable Peddler.

This is the peddler's opportunity. He comes up with smiling face and volunteers information and explanation. With Dr. Wallace Radcliffe will preach the sermon; the Rev. Dr. Donald C. MacLeod This is the peddler's opportunity. He a glib tongue he informs the enquiring visitor that Minerva, the goddess of wisdom, is the "finest piece of art of its kind in the world," and that the little mosaics are "gold of twenty-two carats."

With this, he in a careless and matterof-fact way brings out of his coat pocket
a handful of varicolored blocks of mosaic
met in fine brass wire resembling gold.

J. Jay Gould—tree toys and everything.

These he displays to the visitor, telling him that during the erection of the Library he (the watchman) collected the chips from the mosale that was used for the picture of Minerva and the ceilings, and also from the Mexican onyx columns and Tennessee marble pillars, and had them set "just for souvenirs, you know." He offers them for sale at a quarter per, and should the visitor decline to purchase, the peddler, in true hawking style, will follow him and pester him with importunities and make the sojourn in the Library as disagreeable to the visitor and as annoying as possible.

A Philadelphian Approached.

A Philadelphian Approached. Rudolph Klein, a merchant from Phila-

delphia, was among the visitors at the Library last evening, and he was one of

STIFF TAKEN TO HIS HOME. Third Victim of Oak Grove Tragedy

May Live a Week.

James Q. Stiff, one of the victims of the Westmoreland tragedy, who has for some time been lying dangerously wound-

a quarter." They follow the person whom companied by his brother, Dr. Stiff, of think they can "stick," and make Fredericksburg, Va., was placed upon a which he was removed to the steamboa This is especially true of some of the wharf. He will leave the boat at Stiff's

> they are of the opinion that his life cannot be prolonged more than a week.

TO INSTALL NEW PASTOR.

Programme of Tomorrow's Services at Westminster Church Memorial.

The Rev. William J. Hutchinson will be installed tomorrow evening as the pastor of Westminster Church Memorial. The ceremonies attending the installation promise to be more than ordinarily interesting and will be presided over by the Rev. N. H. Miller, moderator.

The call of the Rev. Mr. Hutchinson to the pastorate of Westminster Church Memorial was acted upon at a special meeting of the Washington Presbytery yesterday morning at that church. The ed the petition calling the Rev. Mr. Hutchinson to the pastorate. It was rati-

The services of the installation will commence at 7:45 o'clock and will be as

The moderator, the Rev. Dr. N. H. Milwill deliver the charge to the new pastor; the Rev. Dr. George P. Wilson will deliver the charge to the people; the Rev. E. Lawrence Hunt will read the Scriptures, and the Rev. Dr. B. F. Bittinger will make the prayer accompanying the installation.

NEWS AND GOSSIP FROM GEORGETOWN

POTOMAC LODGE INSTALLATION.

Short Addresses After the Ceremony Funeral of a Well-Known Resident-Personal and Business Notes of Interest.

The newly elected officers of Potomac Lodge No. 5 were installed last night by Past Master George J. Fritch with appropriate ceremony. The officers are: Worshipful Master, Rev. Stanley Bill-helmer; W. C. Stump, Senior Warden; Benjamin B. Hunt, Junior Warden; A. B. Bennett, Secretary; Isaac Birch, Treasurer; Dr. Charles T. Lindsey, Senior Deacon; C. H. Williams, Junior Deacon; Lem Towers, ir., Senior Steward: Richard S. Clifton, Junior Steward; Rev. W. Tayloe Snyder, Chaplain and George W. Allen,

Short addresses were made by Rev. Stanley Billheimer and Rev. W. Tayloe

Mrs. Webster's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Harriett White Webster, who died Saturday at her residence, 1038 Jefferson Avenue, took place Services were held at the First Baptist Church, of which she had been an ardent member. Mrs. Webster was fifty-two years of age and was ill Armistead Webster, her busband and

out a short time. four grown daughters survive, Mrs. Mary Keys, Mrs. Arnnetta Harrod, Mrs. Annie Trumbull, and Mrs. Susie Smith.

Masonic Building Beautified.

The proceeds of the entertainment given some months ago, under the auspices of Mizpah Chapter, O. E. S., have been used in beautifying the main room of the Ma-sonic building on Thirty-second Street.

Personal Mention. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Coilins, of 3016 O Street, will celebrate next Monday the fifteenth anniversary of their marriage. Mrs. P. J. Clarke, of 3255 N Street northwest, returned yesterday from Jersey City, where she has been visiting for the past month. Mrs. Clarke has as her guest, Mrs. D. Shallue, of New York city, formerly a resident of this city.

Business Notes. A permit was issued to Ernest Dalhe yesterday for the erection of two modern commissioners of the church, Messrs. brick dwellings on the north side of S Owen Owen and Andrew Glass, presented the petition calling the Rev. Mr. will cost \$6,000 and be known as 3401 and Annie Campbell yesterday transferred

> subdivision, of Tenleytown. SAMOANS BUILD MEMORIAL.

Honor Memory of McKinley by Con-

structing a Roadway. TUTUILLA, Samoa, Dec. 3, via San Francisco, Dec. 17 .- A public road from one of the leading towns to Pago Pago being constructed as a memorial to

President McKinley.

The natives decided to build this road instead of holding a feast and indulging the old heathen rites to the dead.

Mrs. Tilley turned the first sod and the natives are now working in large gangs to complete the road.

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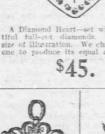


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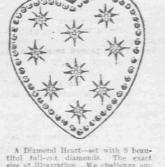


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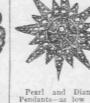
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WOMAN SLAIN BY BURGLAR. The Victim Prominent in Pittsburg Society.

PITTSBURG, Ps., Dec. 17 .- Miss Harriet C. Murphy, one of the best known young ladies of the East End, was murdered about 3 o'clock this morning by a

sister of John A. Murphy, an attorney, and select councilman from the Twentieth ward. She lived with her brother at 6321 Howe Street, within sight of the Kenmawar Hotel.

Her apartments were in the rear of the louse, and her brother occupied a front room.' He did not knew of the shooting intil Miss Murphy's maid aroused him. He had to break the lock to get into th

He had to break the lock to get into the room, in which he found the body of his sister.

The disordered condition of the room and the disorder of the bedelothes showed that a desperate struggle had taken place between Miss Murphy and the murderer. The window was raised, but in the bottom of the lower sash was a bullet hole which showed that a shot had been fired from the inside of the room.

Miss Murphy was the bossessor of a

for a woman.

Miss Murphy was treasurer of the Kinsley House Fund popular charity and kept late collections until she found it convenient to bank it. This money is

ARABIAN FOR ROOSEVELT. Blooded Steed to Be Sent President

From Morocco. MANCHESTER, Vt., Dec. 17 .- A letter has been received here from Capt. John Coff, at Morocco, saying that he expected a fine Arabian saddle horse to reach him frem the interior about December 10 and

that the animal would be shipped to Wash-ington for President Roosevelt's personal

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-Mrs. Davis. 419 E. Capitol St., Washington. "Cascarets are the best medicine I ever tried. I cannot be too grateful for them." —Mrs. Elia Sanders, Fox, Mo.

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—Mrs. Moses Lecce, Gilman, Colo. "I have used Cascarets and must say they are wonderful. I recommend them to all my lady friends."

—Mrs. J. H. Mayes, Chardon, Ia. There are many physical disturbances of the bodily functions connected with the change from maidenhood to womanhood, and the health and wholesome life not only of the bride, the new wife and prospective mother, but that of the new generation that is to be, depend upon keeping all operations of the digestive canal regular and natural with Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the only medicine that will do it gently yet surely without grip or gripe.

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